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FROM OUR ITEMIZERS.

SEND US THE NEWS.

LOWELL NEWS.

Prof. Wm. B. Morgan and family Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bailey and Walter Van Wedel, were among those who attended the Friends quarterly meeting at Timbered Hill last Sunday.

Rev. Powell, an evangelist of the Kansas Friends yearly meeting preached an acceptable sermon Sunday evening.

Miss Nellie Scoles and Miss Laura Sears from Galena, were visiting friends here this week.

Miss Mary McKinney left Friday morning for Missouri where she will teach during the coming year.

F. S. Rounsavell sports a new buggy. Mr. Hammett is building a new barn.

Miss Hattie Sharp gave on elegant supper to a few friends Thursday evening.

The Friends meeting house is an assured thing, quite a large sum being already subscribed for the good purpose. The Friends will also have monthly meetings here.

The L. L. L. has taken steps to purchase a building to be used as a library, thereby supplying a long felt want in our city.

Y. W. C. T. U. meeting next Sunday evening.

Messrs. Dowell, Smith and Childs, took a trip down into Arkansas this week, with a load of pottery.

A MURDER OVER A CALF.

The following dispatch from Oklahoma City, I. T., under date of August 19, appeared in the Globe-Democrat: "Sheriff Deford was notified by telegraph to-day of a murder that occurred yesterday five miles east of Edmond, this county. The murdered man was named Wetherman and his slayer is A. E. Cooper. Both of the men were farmers. The killing was the result of a quarrel arising over a lawsuit about a calf. After the shooting Cooper surrendered himself to the authorities at Edmond."

Another dispatch says that "late at night as R. L. Weatherman and two companions were passing on the public highway the residence of A. E. Cooper, living on Deep Fork, five miles east of Edmond, they were fired upon by Cooper with a double-barreled shotgun. Weatherman's companions fled in different directions and naturally supposed that he would follow. They went to his house and waited all night for him. When daylight came they set out to search for him, and about 200 yards from the scene of the shooting found him dead. Cooper surrendered to the authorities and an inquest was held over the remains of the dead man. The trouble originated some time ago over a stray calf. Weatherman was a young, unmarried man."

The A. E. Cooper mentioned in the above articles, is a brother of J. M. Cooper, of this city, who went to Oklahoma Tuesday night in response to a dispatch reading "guess I killed a man last night accidentally." It is supposed that young Cooper got into some trouble with Weatherman and his companions, and being threatened or closely pressed defended himself with his gun. He had written that parties were prowling around his house at night, and molesting him in various ways.

Nothing had been heard of the affair further than above stated or from J. M. Cooper up to the time of going to press yesterday.

Eczema Cured by S. S. S.

Mrs. S. Renault, Waldo, Fla., writes the following under date of Feb. 11, 1890: "I suffered with Eczema for about two years. About this time I was advised by friends to try your Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) and I am happy to say that after using six bottles I was entirely cured, and I never lose an opportunity of recommending it to any one I find suffering from any disease of the blood."

He Profits by his Friends Experience. "I have been troubled with pimples and blotches on my face for years, during which time I tried numbers of standard remedies, but without receiving any benefit. Profiting by the advice and experience of a friend I commenced taking Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) and the effect it had on me overshadowed all expectations. After taking two bottles the pimples and blotches entirely disappeared, and my skin is clear and without a blemish." J. B. FLEMING, JR., Fairfield, Ill.

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Dead and Dying. Clay Center Times.

Kansas has a school for every 180 persons, a Sunday school for 420, only five criminals for every 10,000 and reports an increase of wealth per capita of 49 per cent. Massachusetts has one school for every 600 persons, one Sunday school for every 1,230, and twenty criminals for every 10,000 of the population, with an increase of wealth per capita of 5 per cent. These alarming symptoms show that Kansas is dead and dying!

Grape "jell" is going to be plentier on the farmers' tables this year than rashed potatoes.

Protected and Unprotected Industries. American Economist.

Writing of the new steel works, which are just being commenced at Tredegar, Alabama, the Manufacturer's Record states that they are designed to turn out 300 tons of finished rails, angles, bars and cotton ties daily, and will give steady employment to over 3000 men. These, with their families, and the doctors, lawyers, storekeepers, with those in such trades as are required where any population is gathered together—shoemakers, tailors, blacksmiths, &c.—will give a population of at least 15,000, and all of these, so far as their support is, either directly or indirectly, dependent on those employed in the steel mill, will derive their support from protection. There can be no doubt on this point. It is mentioned that about 18,000,000 bricks will be used in building the mill. In addition to this the inhabitants will require some 3000 buildings, residences, stores, &c. As has been pointed out, the stone and brick masons, the carpenters and plumbers, who construct and fit up these buildings are entirely without protection, and they receive more wages than many employed in protected industries. But the palace of the millionaire and the shack of the brute who is too lazy to work are alike devoid of protection; and the twenty miles or more of streets and roads are also, with the laborers, who grade, regulate sewer and pave them, unprotected. There is no line or word in the McKinley bill imposing a duty of even a single cent on either the paved and sewer street of the rich nor on the blazed trail of the rugged pioneer; yet a report on immigration of some 200 pages was issued by the last administration to prove that this country was more attractive to unskilled labor than to expert workmen.

We are urged by such considerations as the above to believe that the building of great mills and the houses of those dependent on them for employment and incidental support, the opening of streets and roads and the building of railroads, have no influence on the wages and employment of those whose business it is to construct them. Work, as at Tredegar, both the construction of the mill and town and the output of manufactured goods, is in the center of the country where those engaged in it will be more apt to draw their supplies from American sources than if situated on the sea coast, and will also furnish the manufactured products to the largest number of consumers with the least expense for transportation. Free-traders, like Senator Vance, who wished to reduce the duty on pig iron and make cotton ties free, would transfer the industry to be inaugurated at Tredegar to England, where the food supplies originating in America would amount to less than \$450 per capita. Others, like Senator Gorman, would concentrate our iron making east of the Alleghenies by reducing the duty on iron ores. The concentration of industries, as well as of wealth, is an English idea but it does not work here. Though steel ships have been built but little over five years on the northwestern lakes, five or eight states fronting on them have steel shipbuilding yards, and it is probable that within five years after our two shipping bills have passed there will be steel shipbuilding yards on fourteen or fifteen of the twenty-two states which front on the two oceans and the Gulf. When our legislature puts an industry on its feet the advantages are widely distributed, and by no means limited to that industry only.

Epoch.

The transition from long, lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory and the agency whereby the good health is attained is gratefully blessed. Hence it is that so much is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health to the use of the Great Alterative and Tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of kidneys, liver or stomach, of long or short standing you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c and \$1 per bottle at all Drug Stores.

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The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shront, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight." Arthur Love, manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Ten-cent trial bottles at all Drug Stores. Regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00.

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